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In Re Application of: ) Examiner: **Joseph F. EDELL**  
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Serial No.: **10/727,867** ) Conf. No.: **7883**  
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For: **HEAD RESTRAINT FOR A VEHICLE SEAT**

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Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT in the above-identified patent application.

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.  
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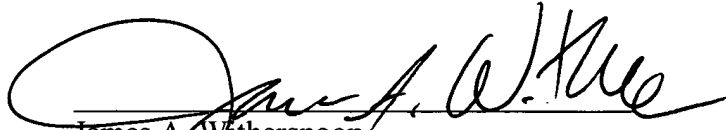
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Respectfully submitted,

  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 7, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper and includes an attached new sheet.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.

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